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Applicants: Jay S. Walker et al.

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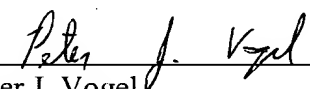
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Please change the fee status of the above-identified application from a small entity to a large entity. This notification is made pursuant to 37 CFR §1.28. The assignee of the above-identified application no longer claims small entity status. Therefore, please change the fee status of the application to that of a large entity. Also change the fee status of any continuing applications claiming benefit under 35 USC §§ 119(e), 120, 121, or 365(c).

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